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Republican Club.

The republicans of Columbus and vicinity are hereby requested to meet at 8 o'clock, Saturday evening next, at the Council Hall above Gray's store, Oct. 7th, for the purpose of organizing a republican campaign club. All republicans are cordially invited to be present and take part in the proceedings.

C. J. GARLOW.

Eleven gentlemen and ladies from Monroe, came down Sunday to attend morning services at the Episcopal church.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church will give a supper on election night Nov. 7th; also will have aprons and handkerchiefs for sale at reasonable prices.

The latest estimate on the Nebraska corn crop is 310,000,000 bushels. No wonder Nebraska land is catching the eye of the eastern speculator.—Central City Nonpareil.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mason of Cornwell in the city last Tuesday. Mr. Mason is one of the substantial farmers that help to make Nebraska one of the best states in the Union.

Dizziness, loss of appetite, flatulence and nausea are all connected with dyspepsia or indigestion. HERBINE will give prompt relief. Price 50 cents. Dr. A. Heintz and Pollock & Co.

Vote for Ekman for county treasurer. He is not an office-seeker in any sense of that term, but a good, honest, capable, young farmer sought out for the position by his party associates.

The Fremont Tribune gives it as a deliberate opinion that Otto Pohl or Mayor Vaughan would have suited Miss Julia D. Grant just as well as Prince Cantacuzene or the Count Speransky.

The Nebraska Telephone company lost by fire a car of telephone poles that they had unloaded at Woodville between Genoa and St. Edward, as being a place convenient for them. Loss \$600.

At noon Wednesday last, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Gray of Fremont, by Judge Hollenback, Mr. Albert O. Jones and Miss Marietta Gray were joined in marriage.

It looks as though beef cattle are to be a good price for quite a while in the future, the demand being rather on the increase right along, and the supply not quite up to the demand. It is not an uncommon thing to hear of calves being sold at \$10 a head, and just the other day a farmer paid \$50 for two extra heavy calves.

Fred Schantz, a farmer living some fourteen miles north of the city, fell from a wagon Friday, and was brought to St. Mary's hospital, where an examination showed the spine was fractured between the lumbar and dorsal vertebrae. Dr. Geer straightened the spinal column and placed the entire lower part of the body in a plaster cast.

Special prices on all kinds of Carpets, Rugettes, Armistair Velvet, 3 ply, 2 ply, all wool, also Linoleum and Oil Cloth Show Room. We have the best line to select from and our prices are the lowest in the city. A full line of Window Curtains from life up. The Fair, DeLeman's old stand, Eleventh St. dealer in Dry Goods, Shoes, Notions, etc., etc. 25

George Fairchild returned Monday from his trip to Seattle, having been absent all told, eight days. He saw P. D. Whitehead the manager for the Mining Company, and found everything very, very favorable. At Tacoma he saw Dr. Schug and M. H. White, formerly of this city; at Seattle, Al Schram, and at Peacocks W. T. Bickly was buying cattle. All doing well, seemingly.

The members of the minstrel troupe of the First Nebraska Regiment, which gave an entertainment for three nights in the Philippine theatre at Manila, have begun to rehearse for a tour of the state. If the plans under contemplation are carried out, about twenty towns in Nebraska will be visited. The date for Lincoln has not yet been fixed but it will be toward the middle of October at the Oliver theatre.—State Journal.

Miss Laura Ward, formerly teacher here at the Third ward school (primary), died at Lincoln Saturday night last, after a protracted illness, of nervous prostration. Among the gentle lady's closest and warmest friends in this city were her young pupils, who had the benefit of her conscientious work as a teacher, and none will more sincerely mourn her departure to the Spirit Land. Funeral services Tuesday morning, at 10 at David City.

Charles C. son of Rev. Dr. Pulis of this city, who enlisted as a private for the Spanish-American war, and afterwards received appointment as lieutenant, has duplicated that experience, having enlisted a short time ago in the Fortieth U. S. Volunteers, has already been appointed a first lieutenant. The regiment is being organized at Fort Riley, Kansas. Later, he was transferred to the 32d and sailed Friday on the Genoa, to the Philippines.

Martin Apparis, a German farmer 50 years old, living near Dunoon, committed suicide last Wednesday afternoon. Trouble in regard to money matters is supposed to be the cause. The deed was done with binding twine to a beam in a shed, and he had been hanging thirty minutes probably when found. We are told that Mr. Apparis was a very quiet sort of a man, never seeming hasty, rash or unreasonable, and was one of the last men supposed capable of taking his own life.

A threshing boiler exploded Wednesday on the farm of Henry Brandt, near Sioux Falls, S. D., killing him instantly, fatally injuring Fred Lanz, and seriously burning Robert Smith. Brandt's body, mangled and burned, was found in a strawstack 200 feet away. Lanz recently returned from the Philippines, where he served as a private in company K of the First Nebraska, made up at Columbus. His father lives in Switzerland. He went up north from here just Sunday before the accident.

George McFarland can now well be sorry that he didn't patent his rotary engine when he had completed it. Elisha Seymour's rotary, tested the other day at Chicago, proved successful, and a company has been organized with a capital of \$100,000. It is said that it will revolutionize the motive power of every first-class steamship afloat, be it freighter, passenger boat or war vessel. An engine of the old type weighing 320 tons can be replaced by the rotary engine weighing 80 tons. All the expansion power of the steam is utilized.

At the North Nebraska Methodist conference that met in Omaha last week, Rev. Mickel was appointed by Bishop Warren to go to Fairport. The many friends of Rev. Mickel will be sorry to have him leave here, as his work of three years in the city has been of great value to the Methodist church, leaving the congregation in better condition financially and spiritually than it has ever before been. Rev. J. P. Post will be the new pastor for the M. E. church. Other appointments of the bishop are: D. E. Tindall, presiding elder; E. B. King, A. H. L. Powers and D. W. McGregor, conference evangelists.

For county judge, the republicans of Platte have nominated Ralph Pugsley of Monroe, one of the young men who enlisted as a private to defend his country's flag in the Philippines. He is a young man of ability, well versed in the principles of law, and will make a good judge, if called to fill the important duties of that office. He is son of W. O. Pugsley of the western part of the county, raised on the farm, receiving the common-school education of the neighborhood, and there is no reason why he will not honor the office to which he may be elected, being honest, capable and faithful. A vote for him will be well placed.

Capt. Charles W. Jens, the republican candidate for county clerk, is gaining ground every day, and is likely to continue doing so until the closing hour of election. The same thoroughness of devotion to the public that characterized his service in the army fighting against the Filipinos, will doubtless be brought to bear in the office of county clerk. Whatever the law prescribes as his duty, that you will find him doing, exactly as laid down, honestly serving his fellow-citizens, according to the laws as provided, doing every duty conscientiously. He made an excellent soldier; he will make an able official, and there is no reason why he should not receive your vote.

W. H. & F. R. Eimers of Humphrey have purchased the business and goods of Oehlrich Bros. on Thirteenth street, and took charge of the business this Tuesday morning. Arnold Oehlrich becomes owner of the building, and leases it to the new firm for three years. We understand that the new firm will endeavor to dispose of the hardware and paint lines. The new firm has many acquaintances in the city who wish them well. F. R. will represent the firm here, and they will continue their business at Humphrey. THE JOURNAL wishes them success. The Oehlrich Bros., Herman and Arnold, have been here many years, and have a large circle of friends. Mr. Coffroth will be remembered as editor of the Era in Columbus a number of years ago.

A Good Paying Business for Sale

We will sell our stock of goods, consisting of Groceries, Hardware and Crockery. Also the store building. For more information, call at

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Twenty-five years of experience in the business has taught us what to buy. We are constantly on the lookout for bargains. The best products of the country are to be found in our store. Among them the celebrated canned goods of Curtice Bros. We are sole agents for Chase & Sanborn's fine Teas and Coffees.

The same courteous treatment accorded to all. We solicit your patronage and will strive to please you.

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hasn't located all the desirable property—we've some choice bits on our books for sale at prices that appeal to the people of common sense. The properties are located in fertile sections, well watered and drained, handy to market and shipping points and at our prices and terms are decided pick-ups.

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TIME TABLE M. P. & R. R.

WEST BOUND, MAIN LINE.

No. 102 Post Mail	1:04 p. m.
No. 2 Limited	2:00 p. m.
No. 101 Special	4:00 a. m.
No. 3 Local	10:10 a. m.
No. 4 Local	10:30 a. m.
No. 21 Freight	10:30 p. m.
No. 22 Freight	10:50 p. m.

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SUBURBAN BRANCH.

No. 41 Passenger	7:00 a. m.
No. 42 Mixed	8:00 a. m.
No. 43 Passenger	12:30 p. m.
No. 44 Mixed	11:00 a. m.

ALBION AND CEDAR RAPIDS BRANCH.

No. 45 Passenger	7:00 a. m.
No. 46 Mixed	8:00 a. m.
No. 47 Passenger	12:30 p. m.
No. 48 Mixed	11:00 a. m.

TRAINS DEPART.

No. 102 Passenger, daily except Sunday	6:00 a. m.
No. 2 Accommodation, daily except Sunday	1:00 p. m.
No. 101 Passenger, daily except Sunday	4:00 p. m.
No. 3 Accommodation, daily except Sunday	1:30 p. m.

TRAINS ARRIVE.

No. 102 Passenger, daily except Sunday	4:00 p. m.
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Society Notices.

all notices under this heading will be placed at the rate of \$2 a year.

LEBANON LODGE No. 56, A. F. & M. O. F.
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COLUMBIAN CAMP No. 2, WOODMEN OF THE WORLD.
Columbian camp No. 2, WOODMEN OF THE WORLD, meets every second and fourth Tuesdays of the month, 7:30 p. m., at L. O. O. F. Hall, Thirteenth street. Brotherly attendance is most desirable, and all visiting brothers are cordially invited to meet with us.

PROTESTANT CHURCH OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS.
Sabbath school regular services every Sunday at 10 a. m. Prayer meetings on Wednesday evening at 7:30 p. m. Social evening first Thursday of the month at the church. 11:00 a. m.

CHURCH REFORMED CHURCH—Sweden.
at 11:00 a. m. Christian Endeavor at 7:30 p. m. Ladies' Aid Society every first Thursday of the month at the church. 11:00 a. m.

GROceries!

Golden Row Seed Corn, Took first prize at Trans-Mississippi Exposition.

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NOTICE

All persons are hereby warned that shooting and hunting is prohibited on the land which I have leased near the Long river wagon bridge, as I have cattle pastured there.

O. L. BAKER.

Mrs. Jonas Welch was quite sick Sunday.

H. M. Winslow is in Nevada purchasing cattle.

WANTED, a girl to do housework. Inquire at Galley's store, if.

Don't forget the Opening October 5 and 6, at J. C. Fillman's.

The fine rain Monday night was a splendid, all-around benefit.

Herrick has just received a carload of fresh novelties and furniture.

Chicago Inter Ocean and COLUMBUS JOURNAL one year, in advance \$1.75.

It is reported that Gene Nichols has rented his hall for the coming season.

Mrs. Martyn, Evans & Geer, office three doors north of Friedhof's store, if.

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All my household furniture is for sale, including piano. Mrs. R. T. Page, if.

Do not fail to see our 8-foot galvanized steel mill for \$25.00. A. Dussell & Son, if.

The republican ticket from first to last is an excellent one—good, capable men.

Inquire of Herrick for that 16x20 inch portrait frame, 6 inches wide for \$1.00.

Hard and soft coal at Spiece's. Now is a good time to lay in a winter's supply.

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AUCTION.

In order to raise cash quick, I will hold an auction sale October 16th, continuing for a few days, and sell to the highest bidder for cash my stock of Watches, Clocks, Jewelry, Silver-plated Ware, etc. Mr. T. L. Wallin of Kansas City, will conduct the sale Oct. 16th.

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MR. ANNA HURD WARREN, daughter of R. G. Hurd, is one of Columbus' most talented singers. Mrs. Warren was born March 10th, 1873, in Westworth, Cumberland Co., Nova Scotia, coming with her parents to Columbus in 1878, where she has ever since resided. When she was but five years old she showed talent for the voice and has sung in public since she was old enough to read.

In 1890 she was married to R. S. Warren of Lincoln, and after two years of married life when one child, Robert, was born to them, both husband and child died.

Since then, Mrs. Warren has devoted her time to the cultivation of her voice. She spent one term in the Grand Island college, at the same time singing in one of the largest churches there. Then she took a two years' course at the Nebraska Conservatory of Music, of which Prof. Clemmons Movius is principal instructor, graduating in 1896. Through the year '96 Mrs. Warren was soprano soloist in the Pro. Cathedral of Lincoln. Since then she has remained at home, teaching voice culture to a large class of pupils, and giving invaluable help to the Baptist church as leader of the choir. She has been leader of the Cecilia Club and active in the Ladies' Musical, and the city owes much to her in helping to lift the standard of music to what it now is.

To show how Mrs. Warren is appreciated away from home, we quote the following items: "Mrs. Warren has a sweet voice, highly cultivated, and her singing goes to the heart as only that of talent and art can do. Her rendition of Scotia's dear old ballad 'Anna Laurie', and the 'Holy City', were particularly pleasing." "Elna (Iowa) Echo." "Her voice, though very strong, is sweet, and finds its way to the strongest hearts, and causes the tenderest chords to vibrate."—Cedar Rapids (Iowa) Gazette. "The singing was excellent, Mrs. Warren especially making a great hit as a soprano soloist. She has sweet, melodious voice which at once charms her hearers and makes them feel that they are in the presence of an adept of music."—Battle Creek (Nebr.) Exchange.

Prof. Bennett of the Doane college, Crete, gave a talk in the Congregational church Sunday morning, in the interest of his college.

Chas. Bloodora will enter the senior class of the Columbus high school next week and resume his studies, so unfortunately interrupted over a year ago by ill health.—Platte Center Signal.

The Hastings papers are enthusiastic over their recent street fair, one of the specially pleasant features of which was the presence of some 1200 to 1600 Omaha people as the guests of the city.

Wilk Speice accompanied Major Kilian from Chicago to New York. He writes home enthusiastically of the reception given the soldiers of the Tenth Pennsylvania regiment all along the line into the city.

No nominee can qualify for office, if elected, if he has not filed with the county clerk a sworn statement of the expense he was put to in order to secure his nomination, and that within ten days of the nomination.

The new post-office over which Eulert Hellmuth is to preside will be at its store, five miles east and five miles south of Humphrey, the mail to be carried from Humphrey three times each week. Work begins Oct. 1.

There was a workman at the Park Sunday morning, taking a cast of the cannon for Kimball Bros. the Lincoln contractors for the soldiers' monument, as a measure for the pedestal, which will be furnished of solid Vermont granite.

Mrs. Henry Lubber entertained the Epworth League of the M. E. church Wednesday evening as a surprise on her nephew, Lee Hollins, who returned with a Co. K from the Philippines. A very pleasant evening was spent in playing games.

At a meeting of the Veterans of the Mexican war in Indianapolis, Sept. 13th, about 100 of the 15,000 soldiers were present ranging in age from 68 to 90 years. A resolution was offered to ask the government to give those over 70 years of age a pension of \$20 a month.

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Corn, shelled @ bushel	21 1/2
Corn, ear @ bushel	18 1/2
Oats @ bushel	16 1/2
Rye @ bushel	14 1/2
Barley @ bushel	28 1/2
Hops @ cwt.	3 90 1/2
Fat cattle @ cwt.	3 15 1/2
Potatoes @ bushel	20 1/2
Butter @ lb.	14 1/2
Eggs @ dozen	13 1/2

Markets corrected every Tuesday afternoon.

—Inquire of Herrick.

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—Dr. Nanmann, dentist, Thirteenth street, if.

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—A vote for McEathron is a vote for a competent surveyor.

—Bring us your job work. We will endeavor to please you.

—W. T. McKeon, Merchant Tailor, opposite Meridian hotel, if.

—We can get you any newspaper or magazine you may wish.

—W. J. Newman went to Council Bluffs Wednesday on business.

—Fremont is considering about extending the fire limits of the city.

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OUR V CIGARS.

What does this V stand for? V stands for five cents. Perhaps you think five cents too cheap for a good cigar. You've got that idea from trying other five cent cigars. You'll change your mind when you've tried our V cigar. You'll find what you don't expect in a five cent cigar, a fragrant, even burning, white-hot smoke. We've done our talking. You do your trying. Then you'll talk too. Remember you get the V cigar only at

STILLMAN'S
...DRUG STORE...

J. M. CURTIS,
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—Misfortune has again struck the family of John C. Morrissey, many years ago a resident of this city, latterly of Lincoln. Their residence, at 340 1/2 P street in that city was burned down Saturday night, fire being discovered at 9:30. The family were absent at the time. Very few of the household goods were saved, and the building itself is almost a total loss. The building was a large one, two stories high and having a large number of rooms. The building was owned by some eastern party, and it is not known whether the household goods had any insurance placed on them. The building was situated in the center of a field in which the hay crop had been cut and shocked. A strong wind blew the sparks from the fire across the field and set fire to the dry grass and hay cocks. The sparks blew directly across the barn, but by careful watching the barn was saved. J. C. Morrissey is the father of young Morrissey, a member of the crew of the Yorktown, recently captured by the Philippines. A number of the prisoners who were captured at the same time Morrissey was missed, were turned over to the American authorities in the Philippines Saturday, but information received did not state whether young Morrissey was with the prisoners turned over. The many friends of the family here will sincerely sympathize with them in their troubles.

—The Columbus Plating Mill, A. H. Free, proprietor, is ready to take all your orders for general mill work, in whatever shape it may come. Call and see. Sash, doors, screens, tanks, etc., etc., are some of the specialties, but everything in our line, we can do for you, on short notice, and at very reasonable prices. We have employed C. C. Hardy to assist us—a man well known for the thoroughness of his work in our line.

—John Ekman was born in Sweden about 28 years ago, came to this country with his parents, settled on government land in Walker township, this county. He is one of the prosperous young farmers of Nebraska, honored by his political party, the great organization which has stood for the social and commercial freedom and prosperity of the country since the first day of its organization in 1854. Mr. Ekman is honest and capable, a good, fair accountant, a good penman, and with just that kind of business ability, that leads him to keep safe the funds confided to him, and have them in readiness on proper demand. Every cent of public money in his hands will be properly accounted for.

—A very sad accident occurred Sunday afternoon here in the B. & M. yards near the ice-house of the company. Mrs. Catharine Bear, an aged German woman, a resident of this city for many years, while going toward her home from church, when passing near a caboose, standing on the track, cars were thrown against the other end of the train, which was being made up, knocking her down and mangle her horribly, severing the lower limbs from the body and causing almost instant death—one gasp of breath was all she was noticed to take before death came to her relief. Her home was on the street north of the court house. Mrs. Louis Stracke of Start, Neb., a daughter of deceased, has been notified.

—The Agricultural Experiment station of the University of Nebraska have sent out a circular on the fall army worm, or grass worm, which is now doing some damage in portions of the state, the greatest being in Johnson county, where many entire fields of alfalfa suffered the loss of all the third cutting. Many best fields were attacked, as were also those of corn, wheat, oats and cabbage, while pasture grasses and blue-grass lawns were injured or entirely destroyed. The object of the bulletin is to advise farmers to plow the fields in which the fall army worm has been observed as deeply as possible this fall. In pasture fields, the disc can be used to advantage, and in lawns, a thorough going over with a long-toothed rake is recommended. Raking is often practicable where no other means can be used. The worm has acquired the name of alfalfa worm, because it prefers alfalfa as food to any of the crops that are commonly grown. It has been observed to go twenty rods around a wheat field in order to reach one of alfalfa.

—The members of the minstrel troupe of the First Nebraska Regiment, which gave an entertainment for three nights in the Philippine theatre at Manila, have begun to rehearse for a tour of the state. If the plans under contemplation are carried out, about twenty towns in Nebraska will be visited. The date for Lincoln has not yet been fixed but it will be toward the middle of October at the Oliver theatre.—State Journal.

—Miss Laura Ward, formerly teacher here at the Third ward school (primary), died at Lincoln Saturday night last, after a protracted illness, of nervous prostration. Among the gentle lady's closest and warmest friends in this city were her young pupils, who had the benefit of her conscientious work as a teacher, and none will more sincerely mourn her departure to the Spirit Land. Funeral services Tuesday morning, at 10 at David City.

—Charles C. son of Rev. Dr. Pulis of this city, who enlisted as a private for the Spanish-American war, and afterwards received appointment as lieutenant, has duplicated that experience, having enlisted a short time ago in the Fortieth U. S. Volunteers, has already been appointed a first lieutenant. The regiment is being organized at Fort Riley, Kansas. Later, he was transferred to the 32d and sailed Friday on the Genoa, to the Philippines.

—Martin Apparis, a German farmer 50 years old, living near Dunoon, committed suicide last Wednesday afternoon. Trouble in regard to money matters is supposed to be the cause. The deed was done with binding twine to a beam in a shed, and he had been hanging thirty minutes probably when found. We are told that Mr. Apparis was a very quiet sort of a man, never seeming hasty, rash or unreasonable, and was one of the last men supposed capable of taking his own life.

—A threshing boiler exploded Wednesday on the farm of Henry Brandt, near Sioux Falls, S. D., killing him instantly, fatally injuring Fred Lanz, and seriously burning Robert Smith. Brandt's body, mangled and burned, was found in a strawstack 200 feet away. Lanz recently returned from the Philippines, where he served as a private in company K of the First Nebraska, made up at Columbus. His father lives in Switzerland. He went up north from here just Sunday before the accident.

—George McFarland can now well be sorry that he didn't patent his rotary engine when he had completed it. Elisha Seymour's rotary, tested the other day at Chicago, proved successful, and a company has been organized with a capital of \$100,000. It is said that it will revolutionize the motive power of every first-class steamship afloat, be it freighter, passenger boat or war vessel. An engine of the old type weighing 320 tons can be replaced by the rotary engine weighing 80 tons. All the expansion power of the steam is utilized.

—At the North Nebraska Methodist conference that met in Omaha last week, Rev. Mickel was appointed by Bishop Warren to go to Fairport. The many friends of Rev. Mickel will be sorry to have him leave here, as his work of three years in the city has been of great value to the Methodist church, leaving the congregation in better condition financially and spiritually than it has ever before been. Rev. J. P. Post will be the new pastor for the M. E. church. Other appointments of the bishop are: D. E. Tindall, presiding elder; E. B. King, A. H. L. Powers and D. W. McGregor, conference evangelists.

—For county judge, the republicans of Platte have nominated Ralph Pugsley of Monroe, one of the young men who enlisted as a private to defend his country's flag in the Philippines. He is a young man of ability, well versed in the principles of law, and will make a good judge, if called to fill the important duties of that office. He is son of W. O. Pugsley of the western part of the county, raised on the farm, receiving the common-school education of the neighborhood, and there is no reason why he will not honor the office to which he may be elected, being honest, capable and faithful. A vote for him will be well placed.

—Capt. Charles W. Jens, the republican candidate for county clerk, is gaining ground every day, and is likely to continue doing so until the closing hour of election. The same thoroughness of devotion to the public that characterized his service in the army fighting against the Filipinos, will doubtless be brought to bear in the office of county clerk. Whatever the law prescribes as his duty, that you will find him doing, exactly as laid down, honestly serving his fellow-citizens, according to the laws as provided, doing every duty conscientiously. He made an excellent soldier; he will make an able official, and there is no reason why he should not receive your vote.

—W. H. & F. R. Eimers of Humphrey have purchased the business and goods of Oehlrich Bros. on Thirteenth street, and took charge of the business this Tuesday morning. Arnold Oehlrich becomes owner of the building, and leases it to the new firm for three years. We understand that the new firm will endeavor to dispose of the hardware and paint lines. The new firm has many acquaintances in the city who wish them well. F. R. will represent the firm here, and they will continue their business at Humphrey. THE JOURNAL wishes them success. The Oehlrich Bros., Herman and Arnold, have been here many years, and have a large circle of friends. Mr. Coffroth will be remembered as editor of the Era in Columbus a number of years ago.

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